IHS® | **techconnect™**

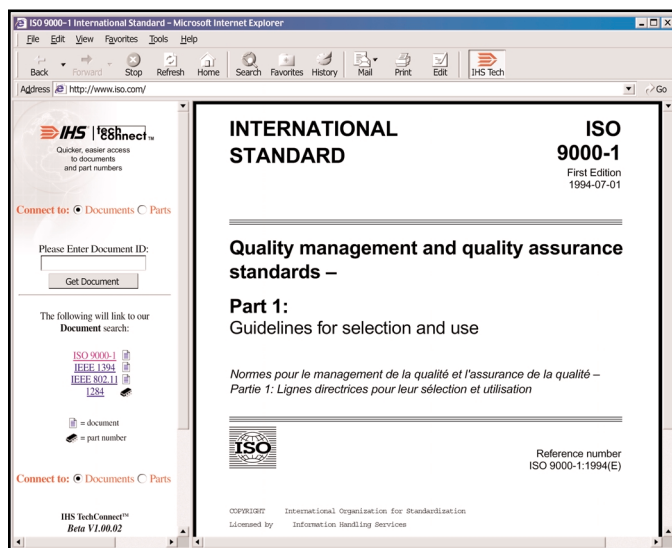*Quicker, Easier Access To The Documents You Need!*

IHS TechConnect™ - Speed up your workday!

A typical engineer spends between 25% and 40% of his or her time searching for information - and frequently not finding it. Studies have indicated that the typical time spent searching through hard copy collections is about 58 minutes, and that the typical time spent looking for information with IHS services is about six (6) minutes. The timesaving per search by using IHS subscription services is about fifty (50) minutes, or about .83 hours.

IHS TechConnect, a browser plug-in, quickly turns any document or part number on your screen into links to related IHS information. With this functionality, you can reduce your search time by 75% or more! Imagine the time and productivity savings! IHS TechConnect is a tool designed specifically to increase your productivity and access to technical information.

How does IHS TechConnect™ work?

- IHS TechConnect is a downloadable and self-installing browser plug-in similar to other components like Adobe Acrobat and RealPlayer. *Once installed on your desktop, a small icon will be added to your Internet Explorer toolbar.*

- Once the icon is clicked, IHS TechConnect captures the content of the main browser window. It parses or searches through the HTML or PDF content on the page identifying documents and part numbers. It then displays a list of these document numbers and part numbers in the left menu bar as links.

- Select the document or part number link you want, and IHS TechConnect takes you to a results list quickly. With one click, review standards, specifications, documents or part numbers individually.

- As long as IHS TechConnect is activated, it will continue to dynamically parse your browser screen and display the relevant documents and part numbers.

- IHS TechConnect is easily de-activated with the toolbar button as well. No searching or parsing takes place when IHS TechConnect is de-activated and the interface disappears.

What info does IHS TechConnect™ link you to?

IHS TechConnect links to over 800,000 standards, specifications and technical documents within IHS Specs and Standards.

• 450,000 U.S., National, European, Corporate and International active and historic standards including:

– AFNOR	– ASTM	– GM	– NEMA
– AIA/NAS	– AWS	– IEC	– NFPA
– ANSI	– BSI	– IEEE	– SAE
– API	– EIA	– ISO	– UL
– ASME	– FORD	– ITU	– Plus many more

• Over 350,000 active and historic government documents including:

– Military Specifications and Standards	– Data Item Descriptions (DIDs)
– Performance & Detail Specs	– Federal Information Processing Standards
– Commercial Item Descriptions (CIDs)	– DoD Instructions and Directives
– Federal Specifications and Standards	– Naval Instruction and Directives
– Military/Federal Qualified Products Lists (QPLs)	– Army Documents
– Military Handbooks	– NASA Documents
– MS Drawings	– Federal Construction Regulations (FCR)
– AND, ANA, AN Drawings	– NATO Documents
– DSCC/DESC/SMD Drawings	– Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) Documents
– USAF and NAF Standards	

What info does IHS TechConnect™ link you to?

IHS TechConnect also links you to the IHS Commercial Parts Center, the world's largest collection of parts with over 80 million commercial and government stocked parts - from machine bolts to F-16 replacement parts. Locate critical part information in seconds including:

- Pricing
- Inventory Status
- Product Descriptions
- Cross-References from Manufacturer Part Numbers to National Stock Numbers

How does this work with my subscription?

IHS TechConnect displays a list of document and/or part numbers in the left menu bar as links. As you click on a link,
IHS TechConnect displays matching document numbers or a part number listing (ranked by order of relevancy).

If the document number is part of your subscription, you can click the document number link to view the actual PDF. You can also click the "Other Documents in this Family" link to view and access all revisions of a particular document.

For part numbers, links will take you to the IHS Commercial Parts Center. Click on the reference number and get detailed information and links to specific pricing, manufacturer, product description and much more!

What if I know the document or part number that I need?

In the IHS TechConnect menu bar, you can enter in the exact document number or identification. A list of documents that match your entered criteria will launch in a separate browser window for you to select the exact document you are searching for.

Or enter in a part number, and connect directly to the IHS Commercial Parts Center website.

What about customizing IHS TechConnect™ for my specific information?

IHS TechConnect can be customized to parse or search for documents and information directly related to your business needs; contact your sales representative for more information.

**IHS TechConnect™ is a tool designed specifically to increase productivity.
Contact your sales representative today for a demonstration.
Call 800-716-3447 and mention priority code S50.**

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